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Applicant: William D. Battenberg

Appln. No. 10/670,202

Filed: September 26, 2003

For: MOTORIZED ACCESS LADDER FOR ELEVATED AREAS

PETITION TO MAKE SPECIAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.102(c)

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Applicant respectfully requests that the above-encaptioned application be granted special status for accelerated prosecution inasmuch as applicant is over 65 years of age as evidenced by the attached declaration.

Respectfully submitted,

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Enclosed herewith is a Petition to Make Special under 37 C.F.R. § 1.102(c), including the following documents:

- Document, entitled "Petition to Make Special under 37 C.F.R. § 1.102(c)";
- Document, entitled "Declaration of Applicant in Support of Petition to Make Special under 37 C.F.R. § 1.102(c)"; and
- Return receipt postcard.

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